

The United States of America

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Patent

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This patent is issued by the UNITED STATES, Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska, 99513-7504, as GRANTOR, to Ekwok Natives Limited, P.O. Box 1189, Dillingham, Alaska, 99576-1189, as GRANTEE, for lands in the Bristol Bay Recording District.

WHEREAS

Ekwok Natives Limited

is entitled to a patent pursuant to Sec. 14(a) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. § 1613(a), of the surface estate in the following-described lands, which were transferred by Interim Conveyance No. 177 issued April 25, 1979, and Interim Conveyance No. 1222 issued August 25, 1986:

Section 12(a) Lands

Lot 8, U.S. Survey No. 7745, Alaska.

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Containing 140.03 acres, as shown on the plat of dependent resurvey and subdivision of original lot 6 into lots 7 and 8, officially filed on April 18, 1997.

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Sec. 20, lots 8 and 9;
Sec. 21, lot 8;
Sec. 29, lot 1;
Sec. 30, lot 11;
Sec. 32.

Containing 1,621.66 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, and the supplemental plat of survey officially filed April 13, 2001.

T. 10 S., R. 48 W.,

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Sec. 5, lot 1;
Sec. 9;
Sec. 10, lot 1;
Sec. 15, lot 1;
Sec. 16, lots 1 and 2.

Containing 3,112.02 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001, and the plat of dependent resurvey and survey officially filed October 23, 2006.

T. 9 S., R. 49 W.,

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Sec. 3, lot 1;
Sec. 23;
Sec. 25, lot 3;
Sec. 26, lots 1 and 2;
Sec. 36, lot 10.

Containing 2,222.80 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, and the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001.

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T. 10 S., R. 49 W., (AA-6663-E)
Sec. 3, lots 3 and 4;
Sec. 4, lot 1;
Sec. 9, lots 5, 6, and 7;
Sec. 10, lots 1 and 3, lots 5 to 8, inclusive, and lot 10;
Sec. 16, lot 1 and lots 4 to 8, inclusive;
Sec. 17, lot 1 and lots 4 to 7, inclusive;
Sec. 18, lots 3, 5, and 6;
Sec. 19, lot 3 and lots 5 to 11, inclusive;
Sec. 31, lot 1.

Containing 4,164.25 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, the plat of photogrammetric resurvey and segregation survey officially filed March 30, 2001, the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001, the plat of dependent resurvey and survey officially filed October 23, 2006, and the supplemental plat of survey officially filed August 16, 2007.

T. 11 S., R. 49 W., (AA-6663-H)
Sec. 6, lots 3 to 7, inclusive.

Containing 400.98 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, and the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001.

T. 9 S., R. 50 W., (AA-6663-C)
Sec. 19, lots 4 to 7, inclusive;
Sec. 34, lot 7;
Sec. 35, lot 4.

Containing 1,220.81 acres, as shown on plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, the plat of photogrammetric resurvey and segregation survey officially filed March 30, 2001, and the plat of dependent resurvey and survey officially filed October 26, 2006.

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T. 10 S., R. 50 W.,

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Sec. 1, lots 3, 4, and 5;
Sec. 12, lots 3 and 4;
Sec. 13, lots 1 and 4;
Sec. 24, lots 3 and 4;
Sec. 25, lots 1, 3, and 4, lots 6, 8, 10, 11 and lot 13;
Sec. 26, lot 4;
Secs. 27 and 34;
Sec. 35, lots 2 and 3, lots 7 to 13, inclusive, and lot 15.

Containing 4,354.05 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, the plat of photogrammetric resurvey and segregation survey officially filed March 30, 2001, the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001, and the plat of dependent resurvey and survey officially filed October 24, 2006.

T. 11 S., R. 50 W.,

(AA-6663-G)

Sec. 1, lots 4 to 13, inclusive;
Sec. 2, lot 4 and lots 6 to 13, inclusive;
Sec. 11, lots 1, 4, and 5;
Sec. 14, lot 1 and lots 3 to 6, inclusive;
Sec. 26, lots 3 to 8, inclusive, and lots 12 and 13;
Sec. 35, lots 6 and 7 and lots 10, 11 and 12;
Sec. 36, lots 1, 3, 5, and 7.

Containing 2,962.23 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, and the plat of photogrammetric resurvey and segregation survey officially filed March 30, 2001.

T. 9 S., R. 51 W.,

(AA-6663-D)

Sec. 24, lots 1 and 4;
Sec. 25, lots 1, 4, 5, and 6.

Containing 1,164.03 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, and the supplemental plat of survey officially filed March 30, 2001.

Aggregating 21,362.86 acres.

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Section 12(b) Lands

Seward Meridian, Alaska

T. 9 S., R. 50 W.,
Sec. 18, lot 3.

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Containing 575.73 acres, as shown on the plat of survey officially filed February 26, 1982, the plat of photogrammetric resurvey and segregation survey officially filed March 30, 2001, and the plat of dependent resurvey and survey officially filed October 26, 2006.

Total aggregate of Sections 12(a) and 12(b) lands is 21,938.59 acres.

NOW KNOW YE, that there is, therefore, granted by the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, unto the above-named corporation the surface estate in the lands above described; TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said estate with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said corporation, its successors and assigns, forever.

EXCEPTING AND RESERVING TO THE UNITED STATES from the lands so granted:

1. The subsurface estate therein, and all rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, accruing unto said estate pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. § 1613(f); and
2. Pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. § 1616(b) (1976), the following public easements, referenced by Easement Identification Number (EIN) on the easement maps, copies of which can be found in the Bureau of Land Management's public land records, are reserved to the United States. All easements are subject to applicable Federal, State, or Municipal corporation regulation. The following is a listing of uses allowed for each type of easement. Any uses which are not specifically listed are prohibited.

25 Foot Trail - The uses allowed on a twenty-five (25) foot wide trail easement are: travel by foot, dogsleds, animals, snowmobiles, two- and three-wheeled vehicles, and small all-terrain vehicles (ATV's) (less than 3,000 lbs. Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)).

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One Acre Site - The uses allowed on a site easement are: vehicle parking (e.g., aircraft, boats, all-terrain vehicles (ATV's), snowmobiles, cars, trucks), temporary camping, and loading or unloading. Temporary camping, loading, or unloading shall be limited to 24 hours.

- a. (EIN 10a C4) An easement twenty-five (25) feet in width for a proposed access trail from the ordinary high water mark on the right bank of the Nushagak River and site EIN 10b C4 located in Sec. 25, T. 10 S., R. 50 W., Seward Meridian, northwesterly to public lands in Sec. 23, T. 10 S., R. 50 W., Seward Meridian. The uses allowed are those listed for a twenty-five (25) foot wide trail easement.
- b. (EIN 10b C4) A one (1) acre site easement, upland of the ordinary high water mark on the upriver end of the unnamed island in the Nushagak River in the N½ of Sec. 25, T. 10 S., R. 50 W., Seward Meridian. The uses allowed are those listed for a one (1) acre site easement.
- c. (EIN 36 E) An easement twenty-five (25) feet in width for an existing winter access trail from the village of Ekwok and U.S. Survey No. 4878 in Sec. 36, T. 9 S., R. 49 W., Seward Meridian, northeasterly to its continuation to EIN 35 E, in Sec. 18, T. 9 S., R. 48 W., Seward Meridian. The uses allowed are those listed for a twenty-five (25) foot wide trail easement. The season of use is limited to winter.

THE GRANT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED LANDS IS SUBJECT TO:

1. Valid existing rights therein, if any, including but not limited to those created by any lease, contract, permit, right-of-way, or easement, and the right of the lessee, contractee, permittee or grantee to the complete enjoyment of all rights, privileges, and benefits thereby granted to him. Further, pursuant to Sec. 17(b)(2) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971 (ANCSA), 43 U.S.C. § 1616(b)(2) (1976), any valid existing right recognized by ANCSA shall continue to have whatever right of access as is now provided for under existing law;
2. Requirements of Sec. 14(c) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. § 1613(c), as amended, that the grantee hereunder convey those portions, if any, of the lands hereinabove granted, as are prescribed in said section; and

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3. The terms and conditions of the agreement dated January 18, 1977, between the Secretary of the Interior, Bristol Bay Native Corporation, Ekwok Natives Limited, and other Bristol Bay village corporations. A copy of the agreement can be found in the Bureau of Land Management's public land records in the easement file for Ekwok Natives Limited, serial No. AA-6663-EE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 17, 1948 (62 Stat. 476), has, in the name of the United States, caused these letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the Bureau to be hereunto affixed.

GIVEN under my hand, in Ekwok, Alaska, the twenty-seventh day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand and ten and of the Independence of the United States the two hundred and thirty-fifth.

By /s/ Gary Reimer

Gary Reimer
District Manager
Anchorage District Office

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